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Declassification Review by NGA/DoD

RELEASABLE FROM SSO CHANNELS. SSOS PASS
TO APPROPRIATE TCOS. CITE NPIC 1925. THE FOLLOWING IS FROM THE
NATIONAL PHOTOGRAPHIC INTERPRETATION CENTER.

A CONTINUING STUDY *[redacted]* HAS REVEALED THE FOLLOWING
AT THE VERKHNYAYA SALDA AND SVOBODNYI ICBM LAUNCH COMPLEXES.
AT VERKHNYAYA SALDA AN OBJECT IS ERECTED ON THE RIGHT PAD AT
LAUNCH AREA E (5) *[redacted]* THE DETAILS OF THIS VERTICAL
OBJECT ARE OBSCURED BY EQUIPMENT, SHADOWS AND THE DARK TONE OF
THE IMMEDIATE PAD AREA BUT A DEFINITE SHADOW IS CAST TOWARD THE

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FORWARD END OF THE PAD. THE HEIGHT OF THE OBJECT IS UNDERTERMINED AS THE FORWARD END OF THE SHADOW CANNOT BE DEFINED DUE TO WHAT APPEARS TO BE A LARGE MOVING VEHICLE. THIS OBJECT WAS NOT APPARENT

[REDACTED] AN OBJECT IS ALSO ERECTED ON THE RIGHT PAD AT LAUNCH AREA B (1) [REDACTED] THE SHADOW OF THIS OBJECT

IS NARROWER AND NOT SO CLEARLY DEFINED AS THE ONE AT LAUNCE AREA E AND APPEARS TO HAVE TWO BULBOUS ENLARGEMENTS. THIS EFFECT MAY BE CAUSED BY THE SHADOW FALLING OVER EQUIPMENT TOWARD THE FORWARD END OF THE PAD. THIS OBJECT WAS NOT VISIBLE [REDACTED]

HOWEVER [REDACTED] THERE DOES APPEAR TO BE A VERTICAL OBJECT ON THE LEFT PAD.

CONSIDERABLE ACTIVITY IS EVIDENT ON BOTH LAUNCH PADS AT SVOBODNY LAUNCH AREA C (2) [REDACTED] A LONG, NARROW SHADOW PROJECTS FROM EACH PAD INDICATING VERTICAL OBJECT ON THE PADS. DETAILS OF THESE OBJECTS ARE OBSCURED BY UNIDENTIFIED EQUIPMENT, POSSIBLE VEHICLES AND THE DARK TONE ON EACH PAD, WHICH ELIMINATED ANY POSSIBLE MENSURATION OF THE VERTICAL OBJECTS.

PHOTO REFERENCE:

VERKHNYAYA SALDA

[REDACTED]

SVOBODNY

[REDACTED]

CONTINUED EXAMINATION OF ZAGORSK ROCKET ENGINE TEST FACILITY, KRASNOZAVODSK, USSR, (56-27N 38-12E) [REDACTED]

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[REDACTED] REVEALS THAT THE MAIN SUPPORT BUILDING FOR THE LARGEST
TEST STAND HAS DOUBLED IN SIZE SINCE [REDACTED]
AND NOW MEASURES APPROXIMATELY 425 X 240 FEET. THIS NEW CON-
STRUCTION WAS PRESENT ON [REDACTED] ALTHOUGH NOT
RECOGNIZED DUE TO HAZE. A NEW SUPPORT BUILDING, REPORTED ON OAK
1004-1, IS 1,500 FEET SOUTH OF THE LARGEST TEST STAND AND MEASURES
APPROXIMATELY 275 X 170 FEET. THESE TWO ADDITIONS GIVE A TOTAL
ROOF COVER INCREASE OF APPROXIMATELY 97,750 SQUARE FEET.

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-END OF MESSAGE-

(ALSO PASSED TO [REDACTED])

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